

THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO

Dear Mission Beach Resident:

On September 29 and 30, recycling containers were delivered to those Mission Beach addresses that requested them. A plastic bag containing a collection calendar and recycling guide was attached to each handle. Please review and follow the instructions in the calendar and guide.

For Mission Beach residents with City trash collection who did not pre-order a container, it is never too late! Through October 29, Collections Services will waive the \$25 delivery fee for the first container request for an address. Call 858-694-7000 to place your order. After October, the delivery fee will apply, but residents can still pick up their recycling container at Collection Services at no charge.

There are two container sizes available:

- 64 gallon (40"h x 26.5"w x 28"d)
- 96 gallon (45.5"h x 29"w x 34"d)

The City Recycling Ordinance took effect on January 1, 2008, requiring all City trash customers to keep specified recyclables out of their trash bin. Willful violators may be subject to fees and fines. This ordinance has not been enforced in Mission Beach due to the absence of curbside recycling. With curbside recycling service now available, Mission Beach residents are required to observe the ordinance.

In keeping with the City Recycling Ordinance, any resident who declined a recycling bin will be expected to recycle all specified material by an alternative method, such as beverage container redemption, charitable donations, fund raisers, etc. The drop-off bins at six Park and Recreation locations in the Mission Beach area provide alternatives for recycling all the specified materials (see map of locations on the back of this letter).

The following materials are accepted in the blue recycling bin and MUST BE KEPT OUT OF THE BLACK BIN:

- newspapers
- clean paper, magazines, junk mail and books (paper back and hard bound)
- cardboard and paperboard
- plastic bottles, jugs and jars
- clean plastic food packaging (no compostable plastic or PLA, Styrofoam, plastic film, bags or utensils)

- plastic buckets, tubs, pots and toys
- clean aluminum and steel food and beverage cans
- glass bottles and jars

For more information call 858-694-7000.

Why waste a good thing? RECYCLE!

